



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/677,403  
Applicant : Carl A. EDLUND, *et al.*  
Filed : September 30, 2000  
Group Art Unit : 2178  
Examiner : Londra C. Burge

Confirmation No. 6921

Docket No. : MFCP.87510  
Customer No. : 45809

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR A TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for response to the final Office Action dated January 27, 2005. This extension will extend the time the response is due from April 27, 2005 to June 27, 2005.

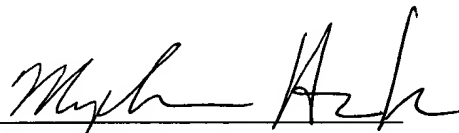
- ☒ A two month extension is requested; the extension fee is \$450.00
- ☒ Charge \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-2112 referencing docket no. MFCP.87510.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2112 referencing docket no. MFCP.87510

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Dated: June 27, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

  
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